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## PART V.

*Season Report for the Week ending with the 28th Saturday in 1916 (8th July 1916).*

| | District and Station | Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday: This week | | Last ten years' average for the corresponding week | | Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1916: This year | | Average of past ten years | | Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5 | | Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains | This week | Past week | Past ten years' fortnightly average |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 1 | 2 | | 3 | | 4 | | 5 | | 6 | | 7 | | | |
| | | I. | c. | I. | c. | I. | c. | I. | c. | I. | c. | | | | |
| BANGALORE. | Bangalore C. & M. Station | 1 | 16 | ... | ... | 9 | 17 | ... | ... | ... | ... | | | | |
| | ,, City & Taluk | 1 | 19 | 1 | 05 | 10 | 54 | 11 | 40 | — 0 | 86 | | Seers. | Seers. | Seers. |
| | Hoskote | ... | ... | 0 | 93 | 4 | 62 | 8 | 96 | — 4 | 34 | | | | |
| | Dodballapur | 1 | 37 | 0 | 79 | 7 | 25 | 8 | 62 | — 1 | 37 | Rice, 2nd sort. | 6·50 | 6·50 | 6·44 |
| | Nelamangala | 0 | 71 | 0 | 53 | 10 | 07 | 9 | 65 | + 0 | 42 | | | | |
| | Kankanhalli | 1 | 79 | 0 | 65 | 8 | 46 | 10 | 16 | — 1 | 70 | Ragi | 16·00 | 16·00 | 13·44 |
| | Magadi | 0 | 81 | 0 | 54 | 8 | 35 | 10 | 49 | — 2 | 14 | Kulthi | 14·00 | 14·00 | 11·18 |
| | Channapatna | 1 | 13 | 0 | 70 | 10 | 73 | 11 | 98 | — 1 | 25 | Kadale | 7·00 | 7·00 | 8·25 |
| | Anekal | 1 | 35 | 1 | 00 | 7 | 00 | 11 | 77 | — 4 | 77 | | | | |
| | Devanhalli | 0 | 16 | 0 | 91 | 8 | 98 | 10 | 09 | — 1 | 11 | | | | |
| | Closepet | 0 | 65 | 0 | 61 | 9 | 04 | 11 | 41 | — 2 | 37 | | | | |
| | District average... | 0 | 91 | 0 | 77 | 8 | 50 | 10 | 45 | — 1 | 95 | | | | |
| KOLAR. | Kolar | 0 | 30 | 0 | 44 | 3 | 14 | 8 | 75 | — 5 | 61 | | Seers | Seers | Seers |
| | Bowringpet | 0 | 46 | 0 | 66 | 4 | 17 | 8 | 27 | — 4 | 10 | Rice, 2nd sort. | 7·00 | 7·00 | 7·72 |
| | Chintamani | 0 | 81 | 1 | 58 | 7 | 23 | 8 | 58 | — 1 | 35 | | | | |
| | Mulbagal | 0 | 32 | 0 | 95 | 2 | 77 | 8 | 17 | — 5 | 40 | Ragi | 15·00 | 15·00 | 17·23 |
| | Sidlaghatta | 0 | 77 | 1 | 28 | 6 | 06 | 8 | 69 | — 2 | 63 | Kulthi | 15·00 | 15·00 | 11·75 |
| | Chikballapur | 2 | 38 | 1 | 15 | 5 | 96 | 8 | 91 | — 2 | 95 | | | | |
| | Bagepalli | 1 | 02 | 0 | 86 | 4 | 92 | 8 | 77 | — 1 | 85 | Kadale | 7 to 8·00 | 7 to 8·00 | 9·10 |
| | Goribidnur | 3 | 85 | 1 | 17 | 9 | 16 | 8 | 45 | + 0 | 71 | | | | |
| | Malur | 0 | 20 | 0 | 57 | 6 | 87 | 9 | 15 | — 2 | 28 | | | | |
| | Srinivaspur | 0 | 30 | 1 | 29 | 4 | 96 | 8 | 63 | — 3 | 67 | | | | |
| | Gudibanda | 2 | 77 | 0 | 92 | 8 | 93 | 10 | 76 | — 1 | 83 | | | | |
| | District average... | 1 | 20 | 0 | 99 | 5 | 83 | 8 | 65 | — 2 | 82 | | | | |
| TUMKUR. | Tumkur | 1 | 83 | 1 | 14 | 10 | 94 | 9 | 48 | + 1 | 46 | | | | |
| | Maddagiri | 2 | 72 | 1 | 17 | 8 | 16 | 9 | 41 | — 1 | 25 | | | | |
| | Chiknayakanhalli | 1 | 42 | 0 | 69 | 14 | 34 | 8 | 63 | + 5 | 71 | | | | |
| | Sira | 1 | 25 | 0 | 67 | 12 | 88 | 7 | 62 | + 5 | 26 | Rice, 2nd sort. | 7·00 | 7·00 | 8·00 |
| | Gubbi | 3 | 41 | 0 | 99 | 13 | 61 | 10 | 41 | + 3 | 20 | | | | |
| | Tiptur | ... | ... | 0 | 42 | 8 | 42 | 7 | 08 | + 1 | 34 | Ragi | 18·00 | 18·00 | 18·80 |
| | Pavagada | 1 | 00 | 0 | 52 | 10 | 99 | 6 | 31 | + 4 | 68 | Kulthi | 12·00 | 12·00 | 10·00 |
| | Kunigal | 2 | 15 | 0 | 79 | 11 | 05 | 9 | 22 | + 1 | 84 | Kadale | 7·00 | 7·00 | 8·80 |
| | Koratagere | 2 | 40 | 1 | 47 | 10 | 03 | 10 | 01 | + 0 | 02 | | | | |
| | Turuvekere | 0 | 80 | 0 | 66 | 10 | 57 | 10 | 18 | + 0 | 39 | | | | |
| | District average ... | 1 | 70 | 0 | 85 | 11 | 10 | 8 | 82 | + 2 | 28 | | | | |

| District and Station | Rainfall up to 8 A. M. on Saturday | | | | | | | | | | Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | This week | | Last ten years' average for the corresponding week | | Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1916 | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | This year | | Average of past ten years | | Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5 | | | | | |
| 1 | 2 | | 3 | | 4 | | 5 | | 6 | | 7 | | | |
| | I. | c. | I. | c. | I. | c. | I. | c. | I. | c. | | This week | Past week | Past ten years' fortnightly average |
| **MYSORE.** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Mysore ... | 0 | 23 | 0 | 36 | 12 | 09 | 12 | 58 | — 0 | 49 | | | | |
| Chamrajnagar ... | ... | ... | 0 | 47 | 10 | 62 | 9 | 59 | + 1 | 03 | | Seers | Seers | Seers |
| Seringapatam ... | ... | ... | 0 | 44 | 8 | 68 | 11 | 31 | — 2 | 63 | Rice, 2nd sort. | 7·00 | 7·00 | 7·44 |
| Hunsur ... | ... | ... | 0 | 98 | 17 | 91 | 13 | 24 | + 4 | 67 | | | | |
| Yedatore ... | ... | ... | 0 | 29 | 16 | 84 | 9 | 28 | + 7 | 56 | Ragi | 16·00 | 16·00 | 14·19 |
| Heggaddevankote ... | ... | ... | 1 | 05 | 17 | 99 | 15 | 48 | + 2 | 51 | Kulthi | 15·50 | 16·00 | 13·84 |
| Gundlupet ... | ... | ... | 0 | 35 | 8 | 80 | 11 | 91 | — 3 | 11 | | | | |
| Nanjangud ... | 0 | 59 | 0 | 38 | 13 | 73 | 11 | 46 | + 2 | 27 | Kadale | 8·50 | 8·00 | 8·41 |
| T.-Narsipur ... | 0 | 19 | 0 | 41 | 8 | 30 | 10 | 72 | — 2 | 42 | | | | |
| Malvalli ... | 0 | 55 | 0 | 49 | 10 | 77 | 9 | 16 | + 1 | 61 | | | | |
| Mandya ... | 0 | 85 | 0 | 46 | 15 | 23 | 10 | 37 | + 4 | 86 | | | | |
| Krishnarajpete ... | ... | ... | 0 | 44 | 12 | 65 | 11 | 14 | + 1 | 51 | | | | |
| Nagamangala ... | ... | ... | 0 | 27 | 8 | 67 | 8 | 47 | + 0 | 20 | | | | |
| District average... | 0 | 19 | 0 | 49 | 12 | 48 | 11 | 13 | + 1 | 35 | | | | |
| **HASSAN.** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hassan ... | 1 | 67 | 1 | 10 | 16 | 40 | 11 | 61 | + 4 | 79 | | | | |
| Manjarabad (Saklespur) | 0 | 60 | 6 | 30 | 39 | 25 | 32 | 02 | + 7 | 23 | Rice, 2nd sort. | 8·00 | 8·00 | 7·00 |
| Arkalgud ... | ... | ... | 1 | 34 | 18 | 46 | 12 | 82 | + 5 | 64 | | | | |
| Belur ... | 0 | 14 | 1 | 42 | 16 | 65 | 15 | 39 | + 1 | 26 | Ragi | 16·00 | 16·00 | 17·00 |
| Channarayapatna ... | 0 | 25 | 0 | 80 | 11 | 61 | 10 | 30 | + 1 | 31 | Kulthi | 16·00 | 15·00 | 13·00 |
| Arsikere ... | 1 | 44 | 0 | 88 | 9 | 53 | 9 | 60 | — 0 | 07 | Kadale | 7·00 | 8·00 | 8·50 |
| Hole-Narsipur ... | 0 | 40 | 0 | 53 | 14 | 27 | 10 | 40 | + 3 | 87 | | | | |
| Alur (Sub) ... | ... | ... | 1 | 98 | 16 | 84 | 16 | 08 | + 0 | 76 | | | | |
| District average... | 0 | 56 | 1 | 79 | 17 | 87 | 14 | 77 | + 3 | 10 | | | | |
| **SHIMOGA.** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Shimoga ... | 0 | 14 | 1 | 51 | 12 | 25 | 11 | 64 | + 0 | 61 | | | | |
| Channagiri ... | 1 | 83 | 1 | 18 | 9 | 49 | 8 | 72 | + 0 | 77 | Rice, 2nd sort. | 7·00 | 7·00 | 7·80 |
| Honnali ... | ... | ... | 0 | 65 | 11 | 99 | 6 | 88 | + 5 | 11 | | | | |
| Shikarpur ... | 0 | 12 | 1 | 82 | 16 | 99 | 11 | 26 | + 5 | 73 | Ragi | 20·00 | 20·00 | 16·35 |
| Sorab ... | 0 | 51 | 4 | 52 | 21 | 35 | 20 | 89 | + 0 | 46 | Kulthi | 12·00 | 12·00 | 11·75 |
| Sagar ... | 1 | 03 | 6 | 47 | 31 | 23 | 28 | 59 | + 2 | 64 | | | | |
| Nagar (Kallurkatte)... | 0 | 99 | 8 | 47 | 44 | 17 | 41 | 83 | + 2 | 34 | | | | |
| Tirthahalli ... | 2 | 25 | 10 | 29 | 54 | 66 | 40 | 93 | +13 | 73 | | | | |
| Kumsi ... | 1 | 15 | 2 | 04 | 19 | 00 | 14 | 66 | + 4 | 34 | | | | |
| District average... | 0 | 89 | 4 | 11 | 24 | 57 | 20 | 59 | + 3 | 98 | | | | |
| **KADUR.** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Chikmagalur ... | 0 | 19 | 1 | 53 | 15 | 83 | 14 | 74 | + 1 | 09 | | | | |
| Kadur ... | ... | ... | 0 | 63 | 8 | 81 | 6 | 80 | + 2 | 01 | Rice, 2nd sort. | 6 to 8·00 | 6 to 8·00 | 7·00 |
| Tarikere ... | ... | ... | 1 | 28 | 12 | 51 | 9 | 25 | + 3 | 26 | | | | |
| Koppa ... | 2 | 19 | 8 | 01 | 57 | 32 | 32 | 70 | +24 | 62 | Ragi | 16·00 | 16·00 | 16·00 |
| Mudgere ... | 1 | 81 | 6 | 13 | 38 | 31 | 32 | 01 | + 6 | 30 | Kulthi | 13·00 | 13·00 | 12·00 |
| Narasimharajapura ... | 0 | 24 | 4 | 85 | 35 | 59 | 21 | 28 | +14 | 31 | Kadale | 7·00 | 7·00 | 8·00 |
| Sringeri ... | 1 | 87 | 10 | 30 | 59 | 28 | 43 | 62 | +15 | 66 | | | | |
| District average... | 0 | 90 | 4 | 68 | 32 | 52 | 22 | 91 | + 9 | 61 | | | | |
| **CHITALDRUG.** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Chitaldrug ... | 0 | 87 | 0 | 56 | 9 | 12 | 6 | 95 | + 2 | 17 | | | | |
| Challakere ... | 0 | 48 | 0 | 21 | 9 | 64 | 5 | 74 | + 3 | 90 | Rice, 2nd sort. | 7·00 | 7·00 | 8·00 |
| Hiriyur ... | 0 | 64 | 0 | 61 | 9 | 48 | 8 | 96 | + 0 | 52 | | | | |
| Holalkere ... | 0 | 15 | 0 | 64 | 5 | 48 | 7 | 53 | — 2 | 05 | Ragi | 20·00 | 20·00 | 20·00 |
| Davangere ... | 0 | 74 | 0 | 69 | 8 | 07 | 6 | 25 | + 1 | 82 | Kulthi | 14·00 | 13·00 | 16·00 |
| Molakalmuru ... | 0 | 22 | 0 | 70 | 3 | 70 | 7 | 05 | — 3 | 35 | Cholum | 20·00 | 19·00 | 20·00 |
| Jagalur ... | 2 | 07 | 0 | 53 | 7 | 36 | 6 | 02 | + 1 | 34 | Kadale | 8·00 | 7·00 | 8·00 |
| Hosdurga ... | ... | ... | 0 | 68 | 6 | 83 | 8 | 13 | — 1 | 30 | | | | |
| Harihar ... | 0 | 31 | 0 | 46 | 5 | 90 | 5 | 63 | + 0 | 27 | | | | |
| District average... | 0 | 61 | 0 | 57 | 7 | 28 | 6 | 92 | + 0 | 36 | | | | |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | | | |
| Provincial average... | 0 | 87 | 1 | 78 | 15 | 02 | 13 | 03 | + 1 | 99 | | | | |

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa.
Ragi—Eleusine Corocana.
Kulthi—(Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus.
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.
Kadale—(Bengal gram) Ciser Arietinum.

## DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage, of fodder, etc.

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## BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

| | *Average for the past five years of the corresponding year.* | *Current.* | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort) | 7·07 | 7·19 | Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas. |
| Ragi ... | 14·12 | 15·47 | |
| Rangoon rice (2nd sort) .... | | 7·19 | |

*Agricultural operations.*—Fields are being ploughed. Ragi, cholam and groundnuts are sown.

Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

## BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Ploughing and manuring operations are carried on in Magadi and Dodballpur Taluks, and in Closepet Sub-Taluk. Sowing of navane, haraka, til, ragi, togari, avare, punaji paddy is carried on in Channapatna, Hoskote, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Devanhalli, Anekal Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk. Vaisakhi paddy is being harvested in some parts of Devanhalli Taluk.

*State of standing crops.*—Sugar-cane, gingelly, potatoes, nat ragi, mulberry and Vaisakhi paddy, are in a fair condition.

*Crops harvested and their outturn.*—Devanhalli Taluk, Vaisakhi paddy, 4 to 8 annas.

10. The prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in certain parts of Bangalore, Hoskote and Anekal Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except in a few villages of Bangalore, Devanhalli, Channapatna and Anekal Taluks, where they are suffering from "chappe roga" and "neradi roga." Water and fodder are available.

## KOLAR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Bowringpet Taluk—ragi; Chintamani Taluk—ragi, avare, and groundnuts; Mulbagal Taluk—ragi, avare and togari; Sidlaghatta Taluk—ragi and avare; Chikballapur Taluk—ragi, avare and togari; Bagepalli, Goribidnur, Malur, Srinivaspur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk—ragi, avare, togari and groundnuts.

*Crops harvested and their outturn.*—Goribidnur Taluk, paddy, 8 annas.

*Standing crops.*—Paddy, sugar-cane, ragi, groundunts and other dry crops are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Prices of food grains are stationary. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Except for small-pox in parts of Chintamani Taluk and plague in parts of Sidlaghatta and Malur Taluks public health is generally good.

12. Chappe roga is prevalent among cattle in parts of Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, pasture, fodder and water are available.

## TUMKUR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Ragi in parts of Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi, Tiptur, Pavagada, Kunigal Taluks; cholam in parts of Tumkur, Gubbi and Pavagada Taluks; green